

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroiyuki ABE et al.

Group Art Unit: 2814

Application No.: 08/930,449

Examiner: S. Rao

Filed: September 30, 1997

Docket No.: JAO 39514

For: HIGH ENERGY SUPPLY APPARATUS, METHOD OF FORMING CRYSTALLINE FILM AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THIN FILM ELECTRONIC DEVICE

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AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated April 11, 2000.

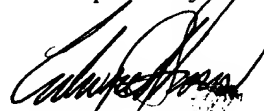
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